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Growing in shallow water in company with a small *Eriocaulon*, possibly *E. Parkeri* Robinson.\*

*Veronica scutellata* L. Same locality and date (2591). This species, as shown by specimens in the National Herbarium, has been collected several times previously along the Potomac River in the vicinity of Washington. As it occurs frequently in the mountain district of Pennsylvania and New Jersey, occasionally below this as at Tullytown, Bucks Co., Pa., and along the lower Susquehanna River, the range of this species in the manuals must be extended considerably southward.

*Galinsoga caracasana* (DC.) Sch. Bip.—In a moist corn field along the Potomac River above Great Falls, Fairfax Co., Va., collected Aug. 7, 1910 (2519), in company with *G. parviflora hispida* DC.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE CLUB

MARCH 29, 1911

The meeting was held at the museum building of the New York Botanical Gardens at 3:30 P.M. Vice President Barnhart occupied the chair. Thirteen persons were present.

The minutes of the meeting of March 14 were read and approved.

The following communication from Miss Caroline C. Haynes was then read:

"Sixteen East Thirty-sixth Street,  
New York City.

MR. BERNARD O. DODGE,

*Secretary and Treasurer,*

Torrey Botanical Club, Columbia University.

*Dear Sir:* It is desired by a number of the members of the club and by others interested, to establish a fund in memory of

\* According to the determination of Dr. J. K. Small this is *Eriocaulon Parkeri*. The plant was heretofore known only from near Camden, N. J., and from near Bordentown, N. J., where it was collected by the writer of this footnote in August, 1910. Mr. Pennell's discovery of this plant near Washington, D. C., increases its known range about two hundred miles, and also reduces the number of plants strictly endemic in the local flora range.—N. T.

the late Professor Lucien Marcus Underwood, the income of which may be used to aid in the illustration of the Club's publications. It is hoped that this fund may reach at least \$5,000.

I ask that you obtain from the Club its consent to administer such a fund, and enclose my check for \$100, as an initial subscription drawn to the order of the Torrey Botanical Club.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed)

(Miss) CAROLINE C. HAYNES.

February 15, 1911."

Dr. M. A. Howe made a motion that the Club establish a Lucien Marcus Underwood fund, the income of which shall be used in illustrating the publications of the Club, and that the secretary be instructed to convey to Miss Haynes the hearty and appreciative thanks of the Club for her generous initial subscription. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The resignations of Elizabeth Billings, Alice Knox, W. L. Sherwood and Rev. L. T. Chamberlain were read and accepted.

Dr. H. H. Rusby reported having received several acceptances to his invitations to become sustaining members of the Club.

First on the announced scientific program was a paper on "Virginia Fungi," by Mr. B. O. Dodge. After reviewing the literature relating to Virginia fungi the speaker gave a report on the fungi collected on the estate of Mr. Graham F. Blandy at White Post, Clark Co., Va., last September.

The second number on the program was on "A Little-known Mangrove from Panama," by Dr. M. A. Howe. The mangrove in question, *Pelliciera Rhizophorae*, a member of the Tea or Camellia Family, was found in association with *Rhizophora*, *Aviunnia*, etc., near the Pacific terminus of the Panama Canal. Specimens and photographs were exhibited. A description and discussion of this mangrove appeared in the April number of the JOURNAL of the New York Botanical Garden.

Meeting adjourned.

B. O. DODGE,  
Secretary.